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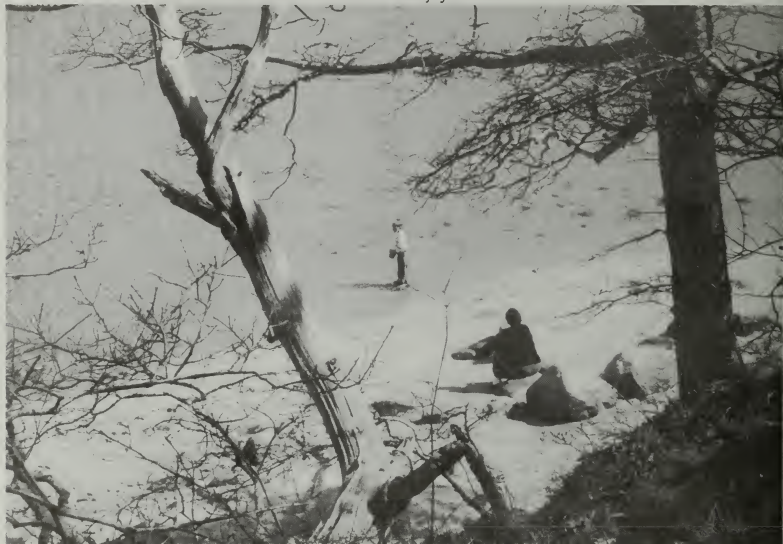
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APRIL 24, 1990-by VIRGINIA MORGAN

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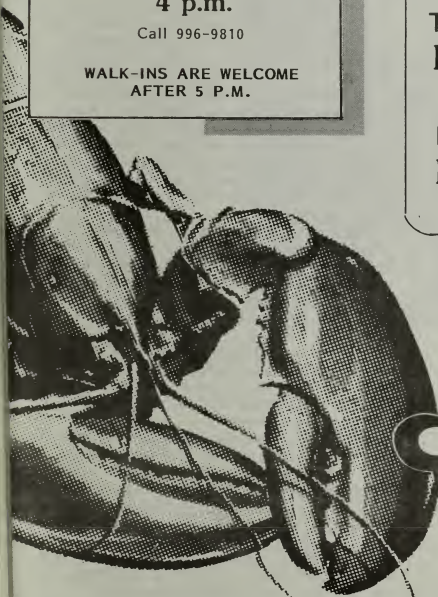
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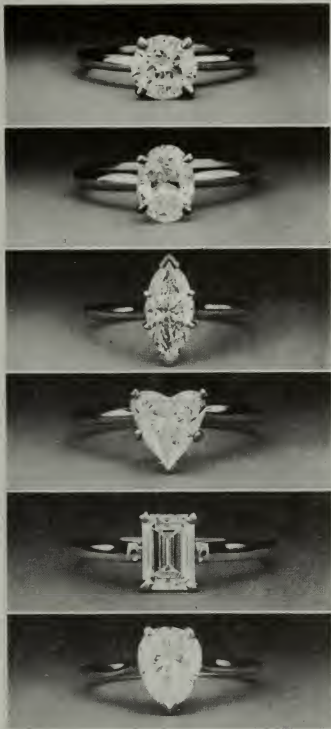
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Selectman Mahoney said, "The part of the General Law of the Town pertaining to town counsel is now too broad. We can save energy and can get a closer control of a large budget item. We never know what's being spent, as sometimes department heads will go to town counsel without first coming through the Selectmen's office for approval. Selectmen should be in charge of the conduct of legal affairs for which we get billed. There are times a department head has a legal problem when we can deflect the need for town counsel." Mr. Mahoney added, "Obviously, I have a personal interest. We should get closer control of a large budget item. We should be more involved, but not overinvolved."

Selectmen Chairman John N. DeCosta and Selectman Bernard F. Talty agreed with Selectman Mahoney's recommendation and agreed to support the change in the general by-law at town meeting.

The amendment by-law change reads, in part, "The Board of Selectmen shall have charge of the conduct of the legal affairs of the town. From time to time, the Board may appoint town counsel and special town counsel to provide legal advice to officers, boards, and committees of the town and to represent the town in matters and proceedings in which the town has an interest. No legal services of any kind or nature shall be provided to the town unless first specifically authorized (1) by vote of the Board of Selectmen or (2), in the event of an emergency, by the Chairman of the Board of Selectmen, such action being thereafter ratified and affirmed by vote of the Board at its next regular or special meeting."

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Mr. Mahoney noted this amendment will not basically change the relationship with town counsel. Town counsel is attorney Donald J. Fleming.

On a similar matter, Selectmen agreed to ask the Finance Committee for the sum of \$15,000 from the Reserve Fund to fund the Town Counsel budget until June 30, the end of the 1990 fiscal year. At the present time, the budget is \$2,000 over the allocated amount budgeted, said Selectmen's Administrator Lois K. Ennis. She said, based on past experience, the sum of \$15,000 should cover the account until the 1991 budget, July 1, 1990.

Additionally, Town Counsel Fleming met with Selectmen for an annual review of open litigation. Mr. Fleming said five of the issues involve Zoning Board of Appeals matters and several of these are old cases.

A Board of Health case with the state Department of Environmental Protection may be resolved soon, he said. The state is asking for an \$8,000 penalty on sanitary landfill violations. The state will insist on a penalty, but it may be reduced. The Board of Health has done a credible job at the landfill to correct the problems cited by the state.

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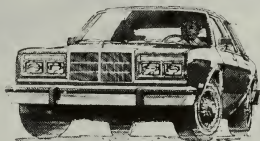
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money, Counsel Fleming said. (Speaking to Board of Health Chairman John Bowman and member Daniel C. Lee after the meeting, both said this issue is not a concern of the Board of Health and should have been settled months ago.)

Several other cases are minor in nature, and should be settled soon, it was noted.

In other business Selectmen:

HELD A PUBLIC HEARING on the possible acceptance of two roads as town ways at the annual meeting. Selectmen agreed to allow Heritage Lane, east off North Street near the Rochester line, to seek acceptance; however, Greenbough Drive was not so successful, as Selectmen turned that one down for unsuitable road conditions.

The Heritage Lane hearing was uneventful, with Planning Board Chairman William H. Matthews and Highway Surveyor Wesley N. Bowman agreeing that all conditions had been met for approval. All Selectmen had viewed the road and found it acceptable. Administrator Ennis said the Town Clerk has received a warranty deed and documents on the road and its ownership.

About six residents of Greenbough Drive attended and voiced very strongly their opposition to the present conditions of the road and the failure of the developer, Manuel Luiz, to maintain the road as stated in their purchase agreement. Especially upset was Marilyn Almeida, who said she bought the land and had a house built in 1981. "I haven't complained in nine years, and I feel I've been patient. I received a building permit and an occupancy permit, and now I can't get any satisfaction from

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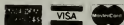
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the Planning Board or anyone else to fix the road." Mrs. Rose-Marie Robert objected to the water build-up in a cul-de-sac where a child could drown.

Planning Board Chairman Matthews explained there is about \$5,900 in principal and interest in an escrow account created by Mr. Luiz for road work. Unfortunately, this is nowhere near the \$35,000 needed to bring the road up to grade. "If we can get Mr. Luiz' signature to remove the money perhaps it can be spent to hire Arthur Thompson, engineer, to do an engineering study on how best to repair the road before any action is taken by the town meeting."

Highway Surveyor Bowman agreed to keep the road graded if the money could be spent now rather than on an engineering study. "We know what has to be done for a permanent solution, but we could take the money and go as far as we can to bring the road up at least a foot." The Greenbough Drive residents appeared to favor this suggestion by the Highway Surveyor. Planning Board Chairman Matthews, however, said this would be a band-aid approach and would be a constant maintenance problem.

Greenbough Drive is located off Brookside Drive which is north off Route 6 near the cemetery.

Selectmen agreed to have the Planning Board work with town counsel and Mr. Luiz to

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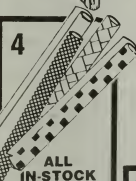
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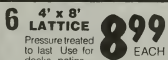


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ACCEPTED WITH REGRET the resignation of Mrs. Rachel M. Jupin as Administrative Aide in the Selectmen's office. Selectmen expressed regret and wished Rachel best personal wishes for the future.

Rachel's letter read, in part, "For the past five months I have tried to adjust to the procedures of a local government and I have not been happy. I must now do what is best for myself and my family and move on to another position. My last day with the town will be May 4. I have met and worked with some of Mattapoisett's best. I sincerely hope that I can continue my friendship with these special people. I want to thank all of them for making my short stay in Mattapoisett pleasant and for making me feel 'special'."

Mrs. Jupin indicated she has another position to go to but had no other comment at this time. Selectmen took no action at this time on seeking a replacement.

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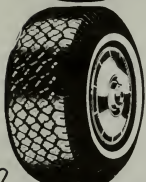
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Brian Nunes, Shellfish Constable, has for the past year taken on the job of Dog Officer. He will now assume the third job, with the combined salaries in the one position. Classified as a special position, the duties will be defined at a later date.

WILL MEET next week with Attorney Arthur J. Caron, Jr. of New Bedford to discuss the possibility of hiring him to represent the Board of Seletmen in contract negotiations with the International Brotherhood of Police Officers.

Selectman Talty reported he spoke with Attorney Caron and that the attorney will charge \$85. per hour only while in negotiation and will not charge for travel time or telephone time.

Selectman Mahoney, who is an attorney, said his expertise did not lie in this area of contract negotiations. He felt after reviewing Attorney Caron's resume that he has the special expertise wanted. The attorney has worked as negotiator for the City of New Bedford, New Bedford School Committee, International Association of Firefighters, Massachusetts Police Association and Massachusetts Teachers' Association, American Federation of State, County and Municipal

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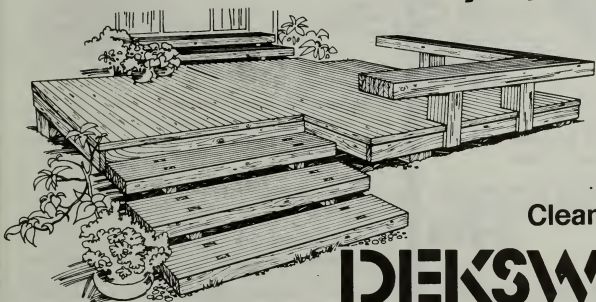
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APPROVED AN AMENDMENT to a 1987 Selectmen's Classification schedule to include the Board of Health members as a Special classification. This refers to the position only and not individuals.

This change will make the status of the elected officials of the Board of Health as special municipal employees. Also, this will prevent any conflict of interest as John Bowman is a Health Board member and there may be times he would work as town mechanic under his brother, Highway Surveyor Wesley Bowman. This will allow John Bowman, an elected official, to hold other town jobs.

John Bowman has applied for the job as part-time town mechanic. The job is now open following an agreement between the union and municipal employees and the Selectmen that the job can be part-time providing the employee joins the union. Mr. Bowman formerly held the town mechanic job on a full-time basis, then as part-time when his brother, Surveyor Bowman, determined the work load was not sufficient for full-time. The change did not meet with union approval, then John was fired. Now that this issue has been resolved with the union, John has re-applied for the town mechanic job. The job was advertised conspicuously at the town barn and town hall in accordance with union rules



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Selectmen agreed to meet with John Bowman to discuss the hourly wage rate and then discuss this with Mr. Edmundo Pedro, union representative.

MET WITH Police Chief James F. Moran who reported on the annual inspection on February 28 of the town ambulance. The Chief said, "Usually the State Department of Public Health, Office of Emergency Medical Services, calls first, but this time it was a complete surprise visit. They are very thorough in this four hour inspection. The medical unit examination was 100 percent approved by the state. However, there were four minor defects in the body of the ambulance that either have been repaired or are in the process of being repaired."

The Chief said the defects included the license plate lamp was not working; this has been replaced. The front muffler clamp is loose; the clamp has been reset and tightened by the town mechanic on February 28. Rust on the exterior mirror on cab door; the Marion body shop cleaned and repaired it. The only defect to be done is a rust spot on the flooring which will be sand-blasted and resealed on May 10.

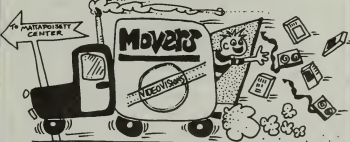
MET WITH REPRESENTATIVES of the Reservation Golf Club, the Highway Surveyor,

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type pole and sign reading "Sticker Parking Only" at the end of Reservation Road which is owned by the Golf Club. A club member said all club members will be given car window stickers.

On a similar matter with the Highway Surveyor, Selectmen agreed to rescind a previous decision on blocking the entrance to Ned's Point Veterans' Park.

In February, Selectmen had agreed with the surveyor and Police Safety Officer Stan Ennis to block the entrance between the stone pillars and keep traffic moving to the end of Ned's Point Road and around the light-house roadway to exit at the same entrance.

Highway Surveyor Bowman said he had received many telephone calls objecting to the change and he felt a hearing should be held to hear residents' concerns. Selectmen agreed with Mr. Bowman to rescind the vote and to make the stone pillar entrance a one-way only, to grass over the crossover road and to allow persons to drive around the park and to exit on Ned's Point Road near the water. Selectmen decided no hearing was necessary.

Additionally, Mr. Bowman informed Selectmen the fence at the bathing beach needs to be wirebrushed and painted. He agreed to have the highway department crew do the work. The fence at Shipyard Park is rotting and needs to be replaced. He agreed to fertilize and lime the grass at Shipyard Park

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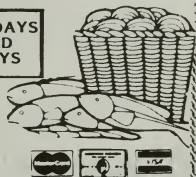
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AGREED TO HIRE Peat, Marwich Accountants at a cost of \$2,000 to review sewer cost charges by the Town of Fairhaven for Mattapoissett's share of the treatment facility expansion costs.

WILL NOT SUPPORT a No-Coal resolution to be sent to the Governor by the Greater New Bedford No-COAL-ition, for protection for a proposed doubling of a coal-fired energy plant in Bristol County and vicinity.

WERE NOTIFIED by the State Department of Revenue, Mattapoissett's share of Lottery Aid funds for fiscal 1990 totals \$189,722; of this total, \$79,711 was paid in December 1989 and an April payment of \$15,149 is due this month. The balance of \$94,862 is scheduled to be received in June 1990. These monies will go into the general fund to be used in fiscal 1990.

APPOINTED retired Police Officer William Simpson as Civil Defense Director to serve until April 1991. He will be paid a stipend of \$250. per year. The town has been without a Civil Defense Director for some time and requires one to be appointed in order to receive funding in the event of an emergency.

HIRED Gail Davis of Mattapoissett, an industrial cleaner, to do janitorial services in the Town Hall at a salary of \$35. per week.

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APPOINTED Robert M. Field to the Old Colony Regional Vocational-Technical High School District School Committee to replace the late William E. Keavy. The joint vote was made by Moderator R. William Blasdale, Mattapoisett School Committee Chairman Clara D. Morgan and the Selectmen.

WILL OBTAIN a service contract for the Monroe copier machine used for the offices on the Town Hall second floor. It was noted the copier makes about 12,000 copies per year.

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Prior to the business session, Mattapoisett Selectmen Chairman John N. DeCosta asked for a moment of silence in remembrance of of Manuel R. Nunes, Jr., who died Sunday, April 22nd. Chairman DeCosta remarked Mr. Nunes served the town for 50 years as Highway Surveyor and also served as Herring Inspector. "He did a lot for the community and worked closely with this Board over the years. He will be sorely missed as a personal friend not only of my family and myself but also as an official who served the town so well."

Blood Pressure Clinic

An afternoon Blood Pressure clinic will be held on Wednesday, May 9th, from 1:00 to 3:00 p.m. at the Legion Hall, Depot Street, Mattapoisett. Clinics are open to all Mattapoisett residents.

Chapter I Meeting

Chapter I PAC of Old Rochester Regional Junior High School will hold a meeting on Wednesday, May 2nd, at 7:00 p.m. (note time change) at the Junior High School. All parents are invited to attend.

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Editorial, DCJ

Mattapoisett's flags flew at half-mast last week in honor and sorrow at the loss of an outstanding citizen. Mr. Manuel R. Nunes, Jr. died at age 88 at Alden Court in Fairhaven on Sunday, April 22nd. Manny Nunes, standing by his truck in the photo above



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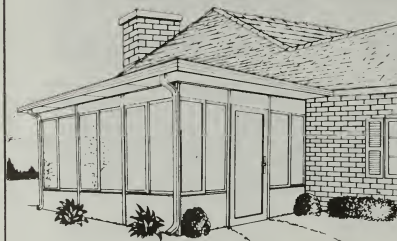
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In 1976, after the celebration of the nation's Bicentennial, the Bicentennial Committee wanted to do something permanent to commemorate that year. Chairman John



Manny Nunes and the boulder which now bears the commemorative plaque at Shipyard Park. DCJ photos



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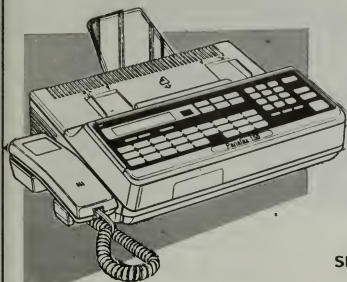
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Fifty years of dedicated service was honored on September 24, 1979 when the Samuel Greeley Award was presented to Mr. Nunes in recognition of outstanding service to local government.

Manny Nunes was a member and past president of the Plymouth County Highway Association, Chairman of its Scholarship Committee and member of both the Barnstable County and Norfolk, Bristol and Middlesex Highway Association. He was a member of the Florence Eastman Post 280 as a World War II Army veteran and a member of the Mattapoisett Grange.

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Sunday afternoon, May 6th, at 4:00 p.m. there will be such a service held in the historical old building. Much of what you see inside and outside the building is original. The old narrow, straight-backed pews, wide floor boards, original windows, etc.

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F.O.R.M. DONATION

The Mattapoisett Woman's Club has donated the sum of \$250.00 to the Friends of Old Rochester Music (FORM) as a contribution to the Band's Competition trip.

Women's Clubs Honored

SELECTMEN PROCLAIM APRIL 24, 1990 to APRIL 24, 1991 GENERAL FEDERATION OF WOMEN'S CLUB CENTENNIAL YEAR

In conjunction with the commemoration of the 100 years of contributions by the General Federation of Women's Clubs, as well as the effective continuing activity by the Federation members, the Mattapoisett Woman's Club will celebrate the occasion at 2 p.m. Monday, May 7th, at the new police station on Route 6 with the planting of a tree in memory of Eleanor Ross, former Mattapoisett club president and former president of the

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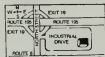
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Club members Theresa Corey and Genevieve Waterhouse extended the invitation to the Selectmen and presented the proclamation which the board members signed, declaring:

The General Federation of Women's Clubs was founded on April 24, 1890, to improve the quality of life of its members, their communities, and their nation at a time when legal and social constraints severely limited the scope of women's interests and activities. Whereas: in our town of Mattapoisett the Mattapoisett Woman's Club has affiliated with the General Federation of Women's Clubs since 1951 in this effective volunteer movement. Whereas: While joining in the national and international activities of the General Federation of Women's Clubs, the club women of Mattapoisett have continually contributed to the betterment of our town and its residents through such achievements as beautification of public buildings and places with plants and flowers, regular visits to the local nursing home to help with its activities, raising and giving of scholarships to the regional high school, encouragement of art and writing contests, and bicycle safety in the elementary schools besides educational programs for the town's citizens. Whereas: We all have benefited from these activities through

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Now, therefore, the Mattapoisett Board of Selectmen hereby proclaim April 24, 1990 to April 24, 1991 to be General Federation of Women's Club Centennial Year in the town of Mattapoisett as a commemoration of the 100 years of contributions by that organization; as well as the effective continuing activity by the Federation members here on behalf of their fellow residents. We urge all those living within our borders to join with the club women of Mattapoisett in observance of General Federation of Women's Clubs Centennial Year, to recognize the achievement of the past, the activities of the present, and the promise for the future of the Federation and the club women of Mattapoisett."

St. Gabriel's Rummage Sale

A Rummage Sale will be held at St. Gabriel's Church parish hall on Friday, May 4th, from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m., and Saturday, May 5th, from 10 a.m. to 12 noon sharp.

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Sandwiches, etcetera and a beverage will be served to members at noon in St. Anthony's Church Hall.

Committee aides will meet at 11 o'clock to prepare the fare, under the direction of Mrs. Jane Welch, vice president and program chairman.

Joseph C. Perry, president, will conduct the business meeting. Plans for the June 21st luncheon and the August 11th Mini-Fair will be furthered. Miss Josephine Perry will have tickets for the luncheon.

Prizes for the games will be obtained by Miss Florence Huetteman, treasurer.

Mattapoisett Republicans

The Mattapoisett Republican Town Committee will be holding a meeting on May 2nd at 7:30 p.m. at the Town Hall. The guest speaker will be Mr. Jon Bryan, a candidate for the 10th Congressional District. The public is welcome.

Masonic Meeting

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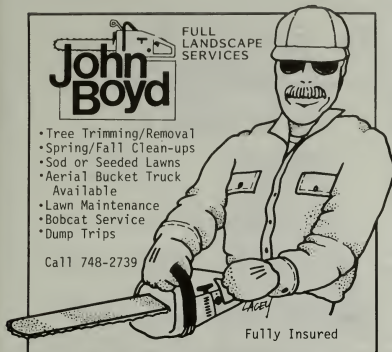
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Other first place winners were Tiffany Jawor in the Discus, Danielle Cook in the 100, Jen DeSouza in the Mile and the 880, Camilla Hietman in the 440, and the Mile Relay team of Jen Nightlinger, Joanne Amoroso, Jocelyn Pereira, and Stephanie Anderson.

Also placing in that meet were Edlyn Engle in the High Jump, Debbie Reardon and Missy Lajoie in the Javelin, Joanne Amoroso in the Long Jump and 300 Hurdles, Melanie Ferreira in the Triple Jump, Tiffany Jawor in the Shot Put, Carly McFee in the 300 Hurdles, Stephanie Anderson in the 880, Jocelyn Pereira in the 400, Misty Saunders and Colleen Dolan in the 220, and Camilla Heitman in the mile.

In the second meet ORR scored 81 points and won by 32 points. Freshman Tiffany Jawor won the Discus and Shot Put. Other freshmen who did extremely well were Jocelyn Pereira winning the 440, third in the High Jump, and was on the winning Mile Relay Team; Sarah Pond won the 880 and was also on the Mile Relay Team, and Danielle Cook won the 100 and anchored the winning 4 x 100 Relay.

Winning first places were Debbie Reardon in the Javelin, Nikki Mott in the Long Jump, Mollie Munroe in the 300 Hurdles, Jen Nightlinger in the 100 Hurdles, the 4 x 110 Relay Team of Misty Saunders, Kerri Rezendes, Adrienne Harkins, and Danielle Cook, and the Mile Relay team of Jen Nightlinger, Sarah Pond, Jocelyn Pereira and Brenda Haarala.

Also placing in this meet were Kelley Lopes in the Shot Put, Kathleen Backus in the Discus, Missy Lajoie in the Javelin, Munroe

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Mr. Rodrigues Elected V.P.

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As Vice President, he will be active in local, state, and national activities and meetings. He will be responsible to plan and coordinate the Fall Workshop for the State A.D.s along with working on the Yearly Conference.

Mr. Rodrigues has been at Old Rochester for 22 years as a Math Instructor, Head Girls' Track Coach, and has coached Football, Volleyball, Soccer, Cross Country, Winter Track, and Weight Training during various years.

When asked about the Vice President's position, Mr. Rodrigues said he was very honored by the election, planned to work hard at it, and hoped to bring more information back to Old Rochester through this experience.

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ATTENTION: SPRING BOUQUET RECIPIENTS

To all who received a spring bouquet, do not return the glass vase. Please keep it for future bouquets.

Our Outreach Volunteers will continue to make up bouquets throughout the summer and these bouquets will be the right size for your vase.

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Thanks to the many who so generously gave their daffodils and spring flowers to be used for bouquets, our Outreach Volunteers were able to make over fifty beautiful arrangements for our senior shut-ins.

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This month's speaker will be Cpt. Adrian Lonsdale. Cpt. Lonsdale will speak on "Operation Market Basket", a joint Naval and Coast Guard operation off the coast of VietNam in 1968. Since most of us know little about the Coast Guard's involvement in the war, it should be a most informative presentation.

Firefighters' Garage Sale

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If you are interested in participating in Mattapoisett's Teacher For A Day Program, please call or come in to either school and sign up for the class of your choice. Contact us no later than 3:00 p.m. on Tuesday, May 8th. You will then be contacted by your cooperating teacher to discuss lessons to be taught that day.

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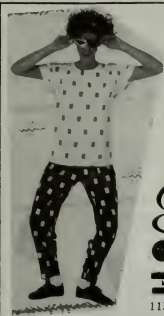
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BREAKS: break into boat, Ned's Point Road; break into motor vehicle, Field Street; break into motor vehicle, Brandt Island Road.

LARCENY: from motor vehicle, Field Street; larceny by check; larceny from motor vehicle, Brandt Island Road; larceny of dirt bike, Acushnet Road.

VANDALISM: to boat, Ned's Point; to motorcycle, ORRHS; to fence, Church Street.

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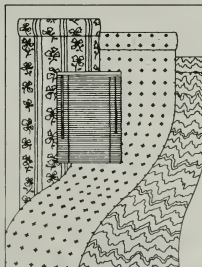
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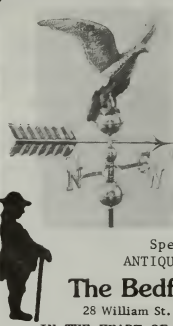
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Letters to the Editor

I want to commend some very special people in our community. We are celebrating AFS Host Family Recognition Week, April 30-May 6, 1990, and this year in Mattapoisett, Paul and Mary Ann Amoruso are hosting Dunia Lopez from Ecuador, and Dick and Diana Pond of Rochester are hosting Carlos Santos from Honduras.

Like 3,000 other American families this year, the Amorusos and the Ponds have opened their homes and their hearts to these young students. And, in doing so, they have shared our American values and culture while providing an unforgettable cultural experience for themselves and their family.

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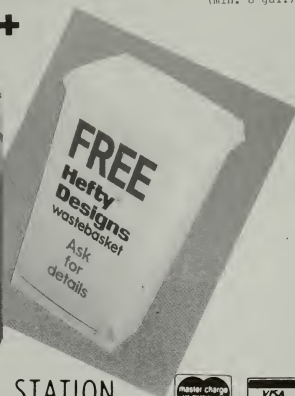
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ready to fully participate in home, school, and community life. And AFS host families find the most support possible ... from our local chapter to a 24 hour a day support line in our New York headquarters; we are here to serve students and families.

The Amorosos and the Ponds are among our most precious resources, and we recognize their contributions and appreciate all they have done as host parents this year. We ask that you and the rest of our communities join AFS-USA in commending the Amorosos and the Ponds for their lasting contribution to world peace and the global family that is AFS. If other families in our communities are interested in joining the family that is changing the world, they can contact me at 748-2297.

Marian LeBlanc, President
ORRHS A.F.S. Chapter

TO THE EDITOR

For the past few years the Marion Horse Show Committee has suffered from declining membership; it has now gotten to the point where this year we do not have enough members to put on a quality show. As a result, there will be no Marion Horse Show this year.

While we deeply regret this action, we

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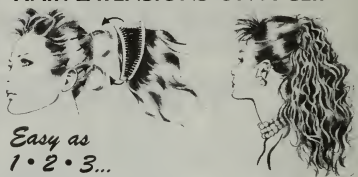


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feel strongly that it is not an end to a forty-three year tradition, but rather an opportunity for time to regroup and rebuild the Show so that we may bring it back next year, bigger and better than ever.

Obviously, to do this, we need more help than we've had in the recent past. We have discussed this with several of the groups involved in the Show and they have indicated a willingness to help with the organization of the Show, but we still need more volunteers. In particular, we need a Committee Chairman, and there are several other posts to be filled as well.

Over the years the Horse Show has provided area groups with the opportunity to raise much needed funds; it is our hope that there will be people in Marion, Mattapoisett, Rochester and Wareham who will want to help to continue this tradition.

Anyone who is interested in helping with the Show in any way may contact Kate Haarala at 748-2824.

For the Marion Horse Show Committee
Bill Beardsley, Chairman

TO THE EDITOR

Hi, my name is Frank Cabral of 459 New Bedford Road, Rochester. Yesterday I was shellfishing with a friend of mine. He fell into the water trying to get his hat that blew off. He got stuck in the mud and fell in. I helped to get him up. Mr. Nunes, the shellfish warden, came running to the water's edge to offer help. He was very much concerned. He made sure we were

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Girls' State

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Two Old Rochester Regional High School students from Mattapoisett have been selected to attend the 1990 Girls' State Program of Mount Holyoke College in South Hadley. The program will be held from June 10-15.

The Ladies Auxiliary of the American Legion Florence Eastman Post #280 will sponsor Lisa Cook, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. W. Edward Cook. Sarah Corkum, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Burton Corkum, will be sponsored by the Mattapoisett Lions' Club.

Girls' State is sponsored on a nationwide basis by the American Legion and provides students with the opportunity to spend a week learning about state and local government by participating in a mock government. Girls from all parts of the Commonwealth will participate and are expected to share their experiences with their communities upon their return.

Participants are selected by the high school faculty and staff. To be eligible, a student must be a Mattapoisett resident who has demonstrated leadership, character, scholarship, loyalty, and service to the school. Girls' State delegates are expected to take back to the community an interest and sense of responsibility in government.

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Boys' State

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Florence Eastman Post #280 of the American Legion will sponsor Andrew MacGregor, son of Mr. and Mrs. John MacGregor of Rochester. The Mattapoisett Lions' Club will sponsor Jeff Short, son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Short of Mattapoisett. Robert Daniel Reed, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Reed of Mattapoisett, will be sponsored by Attorney Lawrence DiCara. In memory of George White, Attorney DiCara will also sponsor Dan Sylvia, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Sylvia of Mattapoisett. Two Mattapoisett residents will be sponsored by the George White Fund of the Machacam club. The Fund will sponsor Peter Dowd, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Dowd, and Steven Hubbard, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Hubbard.

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There is a \$3.00 donation per person at the door. Each year there have been many varied and interesting works of art.

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Tickets are \$6.00 on Wednesday, Thursday, Friday and Sunday (\$5.00 for senior citizens and students); \$8.00 for all seats on Saturday. For ticket reservations phone Your Theatre at 993-0772.

Marion Art Center

ORIZOMEGAMI, the Japanese art of folding and dying rice paper, is the third in a series of workshops by Martha Dawson to be held at the Marion Art Center on Saturday, May 5th, from 9:00 a.m. to noon. Students will learn how to fold and pleat rice paper and dip it into dyes to create beautifully colored sheets to be used as wrapping paper or mounted on to writing paper to create personalized stationery. Students should wear stainable clothing. The fee is \$25. All materials are included. Please call 748-1266 to register. Space is limited.

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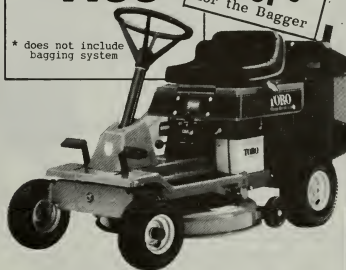
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Students planning to study dance, theater or music after graduation will be eligible to compete for a \$100. Tony Singletary scholarship in each category. Please prepare a five minute presentation and call 748-1266 to make an appointment to perform for the judges. All awards will be made at a reception on Friday, May 25th, from 6:30 to 7:30 p.m.

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Ogunquit, Maine, June 12th, 13th and 14th final payment due May 10th.

Walter Wood Dies

Walter F. "Woody" Wood, Jr. died April 18th at age 90 at home in Hypoluxo, Florida after a long illness. He was the husband of Charlotte (Wakeman) Wood and the son of the late Walter and Helen Wood.

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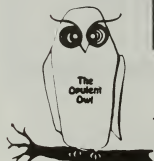
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Capeway Softball League

RESULTS OF GAMES OF APRIL 29

Results of games played Sunday in the Capeway Softball League are: Sea Gas won their two games over Jack's Rumrunner by the same score in each game, 7 to 0; Mattapoisett 3 beat Capeway Lounge 11 to 3 in the first game and 11 to 4 in the second; also winning two was River's End, beating Brad's Cafe 11 to 4 in the first and 6 to 2 in the second; Sea-Rich Seafoods also won, beating Mattapoisett Inn 11 to 4 in the first and 8 to 6 in the second; splitting their two games were the teams of Paul's Gulls and Fox Enterprises with Fox winning the first 9 to 5 and the Gulls the second 4 to 2.

SCHEDULE FOR MAY 6: Jack's Rumrunner vs Capeway Lounge at Rochester Field; Sea-Rich Seafoods vs Mattapoisett 3 at Cushman Park; Paul's Gulls vs River's End at Livesey Field; Brad's Cafe vs Sea

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Mattapoisset Inn	2	4
Fox Enterprises	1	5
Jack's Rumrunner	0	6
Capeway Lounge	0	6

Women's Golf

On April 25th the Women's Golf association
of Little Harbor Country Club played a
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The team of Mary Galligan, Ada Lukey,
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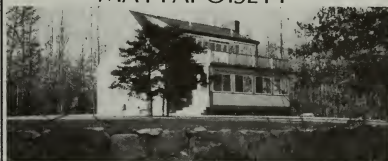
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La Leche League

Come to the next meeting of La Leche League of Wareham to find out more about the many "Advantages of Breastfeeding". We will be meeting on Wednesday, May 9th, at 7:30 p.m. (arrival time is 7:00 p.m.) at the home of Doreen Pierce, 1124 Main Street, West Wareham. All pregnant women and nursing mothers are warmly invited; babies and toddlers are always welcome. We have a lending library of books on breastfeeding, parenting, childbirth, and nutrition, and many information sheets and reprints. We also offer for sale an excellent manual called The Womanly Art of Breastfeeding. Please come and join this group of warm and supportive mothers. For directions to the meeting or for help at any

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Pets of the Week DCJ PHOTO

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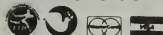
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Special Needs Meeting

Preparing Your Special Needs Child for College will be presented by Gail Hammond on Wednesday, May 2nd, at 7:30 p.m. at the Old Rochester Regional High School Library and is open to the public.

This is the fifth in a series of Parent Training Workshops, funded by a Commonwealth Inservice Institute Grant, and sponsored by the Special Needs Advisory Councils of Marion, Mattapoisett, Rochester and the Old Rochester Regional School District.

The presentation is designed for parents of students who have learning disabilities and attention deficit disorders. It will provide information about the various options for children after high school. There will be an overview of the range of programs available for special needs students at the college level. Techniques for choosing the right post-secondary program will be ad-



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ter for college as well as strategies for helping them develop the independent learning and advocacy skills needed to succeed.

Gail Hammond is the coordinator of services for students with learning disabilities at Massachusetts Bay Community College in Wellesley Hills. She has worked as an advocate for students with learning disabilities for the past ten years. She has recently received a three-year federal grant to provide transitional services for students with learning disabilities who are underprepared to meet the demands of college.

Veterans' Up-Date

VA STUDYING BENEFIT REFORMS

Secretary of Veterans' Affairs Edward J. Derwinski has said that the Department of Veterans Affairs (VA) will soon complete work on a package of benefit reforms that would eliminate inequities and inconsistencies in eligibility criteria for VA health-care services and disability payments.

"What we are doing", Derwinski said, "is identifying those areas that by any definition are patently unfair. Our work is aimed at improving access to the health-care system and correcting numerous imbalances in eligibility criteria."

Examples provided included equalizing payment of benefits to surviving spouses of disabled veterans. In the only VA benefit program now based on the veterans' military rank, current law delivers monetary benefits to surviving spouses of disabled generals and admirals nearly 2½ times greater

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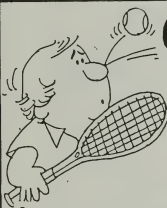
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TOWN OF MATTAPOISETT, MASSACHUSETTS NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARINGS

Notice is hereby given that the Mattapoisett Board of Appeals will hold a Public Hearing on the following petitions and applications:

Appeal of Harry O. and Sally A. Ainsworth of 37 Morelands Terrace, New Bedford, MA. 02740 relating to property located at 8 Cathaway Lane. The appellants are seeking to appeal the Building Inspector's decision to issue Building Permit #3683 dated November 30, 1987 relating to property located at 8 Cathaway Lane. Appellants allege that said decision has aggrieved them and that the Town of Mattapoisett Zoning By-Laws were not enforced under Section VII.B. Appellants seek to have the Zoning By-Laws enforced and detriment removed. The property is further described as being Lot 85, Plat 16 on the Assessors' Map. The hearing will be held in the Town Hall Conference Room at 7:20 P.M. on THURSDAY, MAY 17, 1990. #499

Application of John J. and Margaret J. McGonigle, 3 Alderberry Lane, Mattapoisett, MA. 02739 re property located at North Street. Applicants are seeking a renewal of BOA Case No. 405 under Section VI.B.2 of the Zoning By-Law, to extend the two year time limit of the prior Special Permit. The property is further described as being Lot 127 on Plat 18 of the Assessors' Map. The hearing will be held in the Town Hall Conference Room at 7:45 P.M. on THURSDAY, MAY 17, 1990. #500

Application and Petition of Casimir de Rham, Jr., Trustee of the Susan Parsons Plummer Trust, Beacon Street, Boston, MA. 02108 by Susan L. Smith re property located at 4 Ned's Point Road. Applicant seeks a Special Permit under Sections V.A.5. (b) and III.A.2.a.b.c. and a Variance under Section V.B.1 of the Zoning By-Laws to change the use of the building from a studio to a guest house. Property is further described as Lot 105 on Plat 7 of the Assessors' Map. The hearing will be held in the Town Hall Conference Room at 8:05 P.M. on THURSDAY, MAY 17, 1990. #501

Complete applications and plans as filed are available for inspection in the Office of the Town Clerk during normal office hours.

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"That's an injustice and morally wrong", Derwinski said. "The system needs to be fixed."

Other areas of eligibility reform being examined by a VA task force would link the payment of service-connected disability compensation directly to actual performance of military duty. Current law provides benefits for almost all disabling injuries and diseases that occur during military service, even off-duty accidents and health problems not trace-

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Monday, chicken rice soup, baked chicken, veggie pattie, mashed potatoes with gravy, meat loaf, corn bread, dessert, juice, milk; Tuesday, tomato soup, meat loaf or steak sub, mashed potatoes, corn, biscuit, dessert, juice, milk; Wednesday, lasagna or chicken nuggets, garlic bread, salad, broccoli, dessert, juice, milk; Thursday, turkey club or ham and cheese croissant, lettuce with tomatoes, chips, pickles, dessert, juice, milk; Friday, sloppy joe or fish sandwich, green beans, carrot and celery sticks, chips, dessert, juice, milk.

OLD COLONY REG. VOKE-TECH SCHOOL-MENU MAY 7-11

Monday, orange juice, school-made lasagna, tossed green salad/Italian dressing, roll/spread, pickle chips, assorted chilled fruit, milk; Tuesday, cup of kale soup, grilled cheese sandwich or egg salad roll, French fries/catsup, seasoned peas, yellow cake/chocolate frosting, milk; Wednesday, orange juice, chicken nuggets/gravy, mashed or candied sweet potatoes, green beans, cranberry sauce, roll/spread, apple crisp/whipped topping, milk; Thursday, chicken rice soup, hamburger or cheeseburger, baked macaroni and cheese or potato chips, seasoned broccoli, sliced onions, relishes, chocolate cake/coffee icing, milk; Friday, cup of tomato macaroni soup, linguica or cheese pizza, potato rounds, catsup, seasoned kernel corn, pickle chips, jelly/topping, milk

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Monday, chicken on a roll, potato puffs, or toasted cheese, potato chips, tossed salad, fruit, milk; Tuesday, spaghetti with meat sauce, garlic bread, or chicken salad rolls, potato chips, tossed salad, cookie, milk; Wednesday, sliced turkey with homemade stuffing, mashed potatoes with gravy, buttered bread, or BLT on a roll, potato chips, vegetable, cherry crisp, milk; Thursday, tacos with all the fixings, Mexican rice, or cold cut sub, potato chips, tossed salad, fruit, milk; Friday, pizza with assorted toppings, pasta salad, or tuna salad on white, potato chips, tossed salad, vegetable, cake, milk.

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Derwinski said, "We are not engaged in a scheme to deprive veterans of what is rightfully theirs. Furthermore, we will ensure that any proposed changes won't cut benefits to any veteran now receiving them; any increases would go into effect immediately." Once a final package of reform is complete, VA would obtain Office of Management and Budget clearance prior to sending its recommendations to Congress.

For further information contact the VA Regional Office at 1-800-556-3893.

5th Annual Spelling Bee AIRS LIVE ON CABLEVISION

Continental Cablevision's Fifth Annual Spelling Bee will air live on Wednesday nights during the month of May. Fifth and sixth graders from Marion, Mattapoisett, Wareham and Rochester participate in this team spelling bee. The first round begins Wednesday, May 9th, at 7:30 p.m. on Bay 8.

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MORTGAGEE'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE

By virtue and in execution of a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage given by KENNETH C. PEASE and M. JANET PEASE of Mattapoisett, Plymouth County, Commonwealth of Massachusetts to FAIRHAVEN SAVINGS BANK, a corporation established by authority of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts and doing business at Fairhaven, Bristol County, said Commonwealth, dated December 26, 1985 and recorded with Plymouth County Registry of Deeds in Book 6499, Page 69 of which mortgage the undersigned is the present holder, for breach of the conditions of said mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosing the same will be sold at public auction on Thursday, May 10, 1990, at 10 o'clock A.M., on the premises, all and singular the premises described in said mortgage, to wit: Land situated in said Mattapoisett, bounded and described as follows:

"EASTERLY by Avenue A, fifty (50) feet;
SOUTHERLY by Lot #53 as shown on plan of land hereinafter mentioned, one hundred (100) feet;
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April 18, 25, May 2, 1990

TOWN OF ROCHESTER, MASSACHUSETTS

INVITATION TO BID

The Town of Rochester, through its Board of Selectmen, will accept and receive sealed bid proposals for:

"Dredging of the Mattapoisett River from Snipituit Pond to Snipituit Road in the Town of Rochester:

BID PROPOSAL: Sealed bid proposals will be received at the Office of the Board of Selectmen, Rochester Town Hall, 560 Rounseville Road, Rochester, MA, 02770 until 7:00 P.M. Monday, June 4, 1990 at which time they will be publicly opened and read.

Proposals must be submitted in sealed envelopes plainly marked on the outside thereof, "Dredging of the Mattapoisett River", date and time.

PRE-BID CONFERENCE: It has been made a requirement of this contract that all prospective bidders attend a pre-bid conference to acquaint themselves with both the area and range of the work involved. The Pre-Bid Conference is scheduled for Friday, May 18, 1990 at 10:00 A.M. at the Rochester Town Hall. Bidders will meet with the Town of Rochester Herring Inspector, at which time bid packages will be made available. The Town of Rochester Board of Selectmen reserves the right to waive any informalities in the bid proposals, to reject any and all bids or to accept the lowest most responsible bid proposal that encompasses a true representation of the work outlined in the bid specifications, in the best interest of the Town of Rochester.

BOARD OF SELECTMEN

May 2, 9, 1990

REGIONAL ELDERLY NUTRITION PROGRAM-MENU MAY 7-11
Monday, Salisbury steak, mashed potatoes, crockneck squash, dinner roll, fresh fruit; Tuesday, Kentucky gumbo soup, pork rib with sauce, delmonico potatoes, branzola bread, rice pudding; Wednesday, top round of beef, rice pilaf, vichy carrots, oatmeal bread, canned fruit; Thursday, veal parmesan, Vienna noodles, tossed salad, light rye roll, banana fruit bar; Friday, New England corn chowder, egg salad on lettuce, pasta salad, hamburger roll, canned fruit.

LEGAL ADVERTISEMENTS

MORTGAGEE'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE

133 Fairhaven Road, Mattapoisett, MA.

By virtue and in execution of the POWER OF SALE contained in a certain Mortgage, Security Agreement and Assignment of Leases and Rents given by Penny L. Denham of Mattapoisett, Plymouth County, Commonwealth of Massachusetts, now of Greenbush, New York, to Fairhaven Savings Bank, a banking corporation duly organized under the laws of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, and having its usual place of business in Fairhaven, in the County of Bristol and Commonwealth of Massachusetts, dated October 1, 1987, and recorded with Plymouth Registry of Deeds in Book 8045, Page 46, as amended by Amendment and Extension Agreements dated June 16, 1988, recorded in Plymouth Registry of Deeds in Book 8536, Page 129 and dated October 31, 1988, recorded in Plymouth Registry of Deeds in Book 8811, Page 150, of which mortgage the undersigned is the present holder, for breach of the conditions of said mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosing, the same will be sold at Public Auction at 2:00 o'clock p.m. on the 24th day of May, 1990, on the premises described in said mortgage all and singular the premises described in said mortgage to wit:

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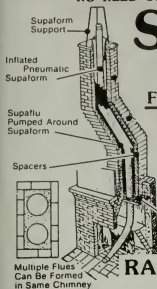
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New Bedford Glass Museum

The New Bedford Glass Museum will offer two courses beginning in May. Both courses will be held at the Museum and will be taught by Director Janie Chester Young.

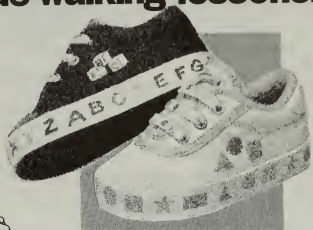
New Bedford's Golden Age of Glass will focus on New Bedford's fascinating and little known glass history, from 1867 to 1956. Students may bring in objects for identification and discussion. The course will be conducted either on Thursdays, May 10-June 7, 1:00 to 3:00 p.m.; or Wednesdays, May 2-June 6, 10:00 to 12:00. Cost of the five session course is \$50. for the general public, \$45. for Museum members.

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To register for either or both courses contact the New Bedford Glass Museum, 50 North Second Street, New Bedford, MA. 02740; telephone 994-0115.

From Old Colony

The spring meetings for the Program Advisory Committees at Old Colony Regional Vocational-Technical High School have been scheduled for Tuesday, May 8th, at 6:30 p.m.

Twelve Program Advisory Committees exist at Old Colony, one for each of the vocational technical programs at the school. Under the requirements of M.G.L. Chapter 74, each vocational technical program at the school must have an Advisory Committee comprised of representatives of local business and industry related to the program area, organized labor, parents, and students. The Advisory Committee assists school personnel on equipment acquisitions, curriculum, instructional methods, and program evaluation.

The meetings of the various committees will begin with a dinner prepared and served by the Culinary Arts Department at Old Colony. Following dinner, Old Colony's "Excellence in Effort" award winners will be recognized. The various committees will then meet in their respective shops with the Old Colony instructors.

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Parents of Old Colony Special Needs students interested in serving on the Council for the 1990-1991 school year are urged to contact David J. Ferreira, Assistance Superintendent-Director, by calling 763-8011, extension 18.

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Old Colony students who attended included Tina Lucier, Thomas Ritz, Jay Espinola, David Tripanier, Jennifer Lanzoni, Sue Tavares, Shelly Bachand, Michelle Hotte, Elizabeth Ashley, Dennis Tripp, Brandon Bacchiocchi, Derek Bartlett, Ronald Cobb, Daniel Costa, Justin Gallagher, Paul Strobis, Roger Ventura, Keith Jodoin, Jason Casmira, Andrew Travers, Mathieu Contois, Ronald Pratt, Suzanne Mercier, Sasha Lawrence, Klair Ferreira, Veuensia Dixon, Jennifer McGoff, Dawn Couto, Harrison Lee, Susan Kallio, Kerri Emanuelle and Rebecca Panek., and faculty members Kevin Gonsalves and Irene Duprey-Gutierrez.

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In its annual observance of Mother's Day, the Cosmetology students at Old Colony Regional Vocational-Technical High School will celebrate Mother's Day '90.

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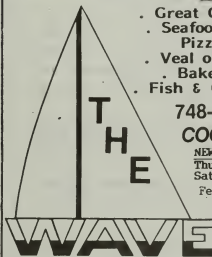
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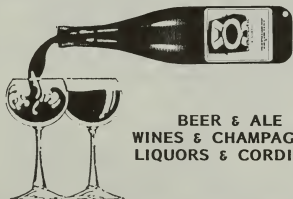


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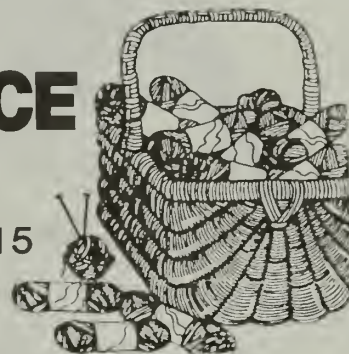
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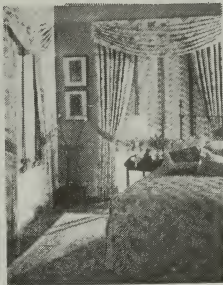
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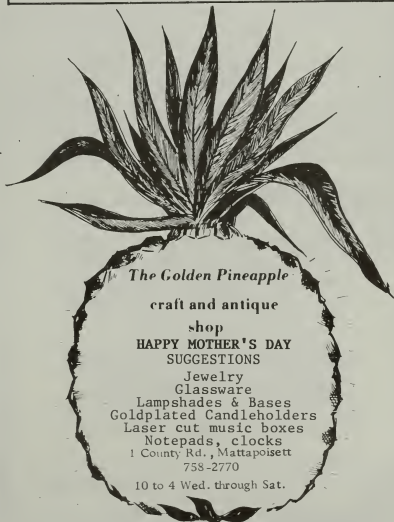


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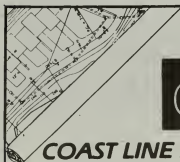
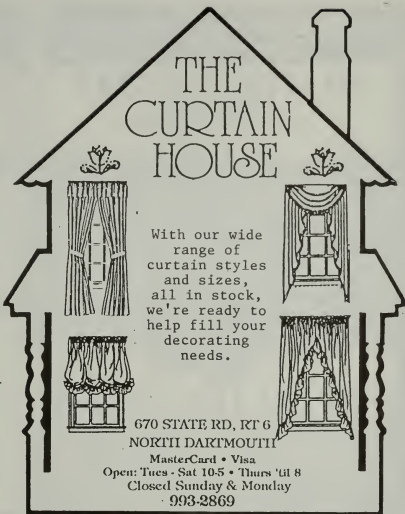
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